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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 48th Saturday in 1912 (30th November 1912).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE.														
Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	13	...	...	42	66	...	...	...	...				
,, City & Taluk	...	...	...	24	45	54	36	18	+ 9	36				
Hoskote	...	35	...	24	37	33	32	97	+ 4	36				
Dodballapur	...	...	...	17	33	44	30	22	+ 3	22	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50	8·15
Nelamangala	...	21	...	10	39	95	30	24	+ 9	71				
Kankanhalli	...	...	...	20	34	44	33	11	+ 1	33	Ragi	14·00	14·00	17·20
Magadi	...	39	...	16	42	82	33	49	+ 9	33	Kulthi	12·25	13·25	...
Channapatna	...	53	...	28	44	56	33	25	+11	31	Kadale	9·00	8·00	9·27
Anekal	...	65	...	32	49	07	36	25	+12	82				
Devanhalli	...	...	...	07	41	20	33	39	+ 7	81				
Closepet	...	85	...	29	41	67	34	80	+ 6	87				
District average...	...	30	...	21	41	...	33	39	+ 7	61				
KOLAR.														
Kolar	...	33	...	01	41	18	24	88	+16	30				
Bowringpet	...	28	...	03	36	06	26	52	+ 9	54	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	5·50 to 6·00	8·00
Chintamani	...	90	...	...	35	10	25	10	+10	...				
Mulbagal	1	63	...	01	31	01	28	49	+ 2	52				
Sidlaghatta	...	12	...	03	34	50	29	36	+ 5	14	Ragi	13·00	13·00	16·70
Chikballapur	...	...	...	01	28	65	31	92	— 3	27				
Bagepalli	1	87	...	08	29	02	23	31	+ 5	71				
Goribidnur	...	...	...	09	31	71	27	06	+ 4	65	Kulthi	13·00	13·00	...
Malur	...	35	...	02	30	61	29	70	+ 0	91				
Srinivaspur	...	46	...	...	31	99	28	26	+ 3	73				
Gudibanda	2	27	...	16	41	36	31	09	+10	27	Kadale	8·00	9·00	9·07
District average...	...	75	...	04	33	74	27	79	+ 5	95				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur	...	16	...	08	32	58	33	38	— 0	80				
Maddagiri	1	20	...	09	35	81	26	37	+ 9	44				
Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	...	31	39	25	29	+ 6	10				
Sira	...	...	...	05	26	94	21	57	+ 5	37	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	6·00	7·86
Gubbi	...	...	...	05	38	15	28	39	+ 9	76				
Tiptur	...	31	...	...	25	17	23	83	+ 1	34	Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·17
Pavagada	1	35	...	09	25	67	19	97	+ 5	70	Kulthi	14·00	15·00	...
Kunigal	...	...	...	08	33	26	27	94	+ 5	32	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·05
Koratagere	...	55	...	07	28	31	24	96	+ 3	35				
Turuvekere	...	35	...	04	27	97	25	26	+ 2	71				
District average ...	...	39	...	05	30	52	25	69	+ 4	83				

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	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week / Past week / Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.												
Mysore ...	...	42	...	06	28	03	30	17	— 2	14		
Chamrajnagar ...	...	35	...	10	27	70	27	85	— 0	15		
Seringapatam ...	...	...	...	23	17	17	27	81	—10	64	Rice, 2nd sort.	Seers 5·50 / Seers 5·50 / Seers 8·59
Hunsur ...	...	...	...	11	37	79	31	03	+ 6	76		
Yedatore ...	...	24	...	15	37	61	23	89	+13	72	Ragi	13·50 / 14·00 / 16·48
Heggaddevankote ...	1	95	...	13	49	45	35	89	+13	56	Kulthi	14·00 / 14·00 / ...
Gundlupet ...	1	10	...	06	22	94	27	24	— 4	30	Kadale	8·00 / 8·00 / 9·19
Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	15	24	36	27	55	— 3	19		
T.-Narsipur ...	1	15	...	11	24	91	29	60	— 4	69		
Malvalli ...	...	11	...	34	20	37	28	43	— 8	06		
Mandya ...	...	...	...	16	19	83	26	53	— 6	70		
Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	37	33	47	28	81	+ 4	66		
Nagamangala ...	...	60	...	46	29	75	25	53	+ 4	22		
District average...	...	46	...	19	28	72	28	49	+ 0	23		
HASSAN.												
Hassan ...	...	57	...	22	41	27	34	03	+ 7	24		
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	26	...	46	102	32	87	05	+15	27	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00 / 6·25 / 8·85
Arkalgud ...	...	49	...	25	46	38	36	55	+ 9	83		
Belur ...	...	...	...	07	57	38	39	30	+18	08	Ragi	18·00 / 18·00 / 19·35
Channarayapatna ...	...	25	...	38	34	55	25	68	+ 8	87	Kulthi	13·50 / 14·50 / ...
Arsikere ...	3	02	...	39	32	06	26	71	+ 5	35	Kadale	8·00 / 8·00 / 8·28
Hole-Narsipur ...	...	66	...	21	30	24	28	03	+ 2	21		
Alur ...	...	97	...	31	58	81	44	06	+14	75		
District average...	...	90	...	29	50	38	40	18	+10	20		
SHIMOGA.												
Shimoga ...	...	...	...	10	39	91	32	81	+ 7	10		
Chanagiri ...	...	...	...	02	29	68	28	35	+ 1	33	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50 / 6·50 / 9·95
Honhali ...	...	10	...	08	23	96	20	64	+ 3	32		
Shikarpur ...	...	22	...	09	43	49	34	74	+ 8	75	Ragi	16·00 / 17·00 / 21·40
Sorab ...	1	04	...	30	75	65	58	38	+17	27	Kulthi	12·00 / 12·00 / ...
Sagar ...	2	85	...	09	97	18	77	85	+19	33		
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	1	38	...	08	130	94	102	26	+28	68		
Tirthahalli ...	...	91	...	12	150	85	117	68	+33	17		
Kumsi ...	...	36	...	12	40	32	40	92	— 0	60		
District average...	...	76	...	11	70	22	57	07	+13	15		
KADUR.												
Chikmagalur ...	...	26	...	45	46	58	35	42	+11	16		
Kadur ...	2	14	...	14	32	08	21	39	+10	69	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00 / 7·00 / 9·45
Tarikere ...	...	...	...	12	39	60	33	20	+ 6	40		
Koppa ...	...	...	...	36	132	45	112	28	+20	17	Ragi	16·00 / 16·00 / 19·50
Mudgere ...	...	95	...	19	126	86	89	41	+37	45	Kulthi	12·00 / 12·00 / ...
Yedahalli ...	...	92	...	12	80	43	68	93	+11	50	Kadale	8·00 / 7·50 / 8·15
Sringeri ...	...	60	...	38	168	45	133	36	+35	09		
District average...	...	69	...	25	89	49	70	57	+18	92		
CHITALDRUG.												
Chitaldrug ...	...	13	...	10	31	02	24	64	+ 6	38		
Challakere ...	...	27	...	02	17	94	15	76	+ 2	18	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50 / 6·00 / 8·60
Hiriyur ...	...	22	...	07	21	22	21	22	...	...		
Holalkere ...	...	...	...	02	27	08	23	28	+ 3	80	Ragi	20·00 / 18·00 / 21·10
Davangere ...	...	36	...	07	31	73	22	96	+ 8	77	Kulthi	13·00 / 14·00 / ...
Molakalmuru ...	...	...	...	08	33	49	22	98	+10	51	Cholum	18·00 / 15·50 / 20·10
Jagalur ...	...	20	...	17	29	48	20	42	+ 9	06	Kadale	8·00 / 8·00 / 8·57
Hosdurga ...	...	...	...	08	33	42	23	45	+ 9	97		
Harihar ...	1	02	...	22	25	63	19	59	+ 6	04		
District average...	...	24	...	09	27	89	21	59	+ 6	30		
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Provincial average...	...	56	...	15	46	50	38	10	+ 8	40		

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. | Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·30	6·32	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	12·89	14·14	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Ragi is under harvest.

State of standing crops—Fair.

Probable outturn of the harvest.—Fourteen annas in a rupee on the average.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ragi is being harvested throughout the district; and paddy crops are being reaped in the Devanhalli Taluk and samé in the Hoskote Taluk.

State of standing crops.—These are reported to be in good condition.

Probable outturn of the harvest.—Ragi 10 to 12 annas in the Bangalore Taluk; ragi, 12 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk; ragi, 16 annas in the Hoskote and Dodballapur Taluks; sugar cane and paddy, 8 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantities.

11. But for plague in parts of the Bangalore, Hoskote and Magadi Taluks and Closepet Town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available in sufficient quantities.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ragi is being harvested and paddy is being sown in almost all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Ragi in almost all the taluks, yield 12 to 16 annas; and ground nut in the Kolar and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 4 to 8 annas and 12 annas, respectively.

Standing crops.—All the standing crops are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in the Kolar Gold Fields and for cholera in the Goribidnur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.